

**CLAIMS**

What is claimed is:

1. An electrical hand tool machine having a motor switch (2) formed as a button and a current regulator (4) having a soft-start input (5) including a branch current with a timing capacitor (6) arranged therein, said current regulator (4) is disposed in the current circuit of an electrical motor (3), wherein a current-direction-dependent element (7) is disposed between the soft-start input (5) and the capacitor (6).
2. The electrical hand tool machine of claim 1, wherein the current-direction-dependent element (7) is a diode.
3. The electrical hand tool machine of claim 1, wherein a timing resistor (8) is arranged parallel to the current-direction-dependent element (7).
4. The electrical hand tool machine of claim 1, wherein the discharge time constant ( $T_E$ ) is in the range of time of from 0.1 to 1.0 seconds.